STATE OF MICHIGAN BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE OF HEARING

FOR THE ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS OF

WISCONSIN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY d/b/a We Energies and UPPER MICHIGAN ENERGY RESOURCES CORPORATION CASE NO. U-17912-R

- Wisconsin Electric Power Company d/b/a We Energies and Upper Michigan Energy Resources Corporation requests Michigan Public Service Commission approval to a power supply cost recovery reconciliation for the 12-month period ended December 31, 2016.
- The information below describes how a person may participate in this case. You may call or write Wisconsin Electric Power Company, 800 Industrial Park, Iron Mountain, Michigan 49801, (800) 242-9137; or Upper Michigan Energy Resources Corporation (UMERC) at its Michigan service centers at 800 Industrial Park Drive, Iron Mountain, Michigan, (800) 242-9137, or 1717 Tenth Avenue, Menominee, Michigan 49858, (800) 450-7260 for a free copy of their application. Any person may review the application at the offices of Wisconsin Electric Power Company, or service centers of UMERC.
- A public hearing will be held:

DATE/TIME: Thursday, June 1, 2017, at 9:30 a.m.

This hearing will be a prehearing conference to set future hearing

dates and decide other procedural matters.

BEFORE: Administrative Law Judge **Martin Snider**

LOCATION: Michigan Public Service Commission

7109 West Saginaw Highway

Lansing, Michigan

PARTICIPATION: Any interested person may attend and participate. The

hearing site is accessible, including handicapped parking. Persons needing any accommodation to participate should contact the Commission's Executive Secretary at (517) 284-8090 in advance

to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

The Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) will hold a public hearing to consider Wisconsin Electric Power Company's (Wisconsin Electric) and UMERC's March 31, 2017 application for 1) approval of the reconciliation of Wisconsin Electric's 12-month power supply costs and revenues as presented by Wisconsin Electric and UMERC; 2) finding that the power supply costs incurred by Wisconsin Electric during 2016 were reasonably incurred; 3) finding that Wisconsin Electric's over-recovery of \$533,934, as of December 31, 2016 should be allocated as follows: (i) Wisconsin Electric's portion of the total over-recovered amount, including interest, of \$410,829 should be rolled into its 2017 PSCR reconciliation case, and (ii) UMERC's portion of the total over-recovered amount, including interest, of \$123,105 should be allocated to UMERC's WEPCo Rate Zone and rolled into the UMERC 2017 PSCR reconciliation case for the WEPCo Rate Zone; and 4) other relief.

All documents filed in this case shall be submitted electronically through the Commission's E-Dockets website at: michigan.gov/mpscedockets. Requirements and instructions for filing can be found in the User Manual on the E-Dockets help page. Documents may also be submitted, in Word or PDF format, as an attachment to an email sent to: mpscedockets@michigan.gov. If you require assistance prior to e-filing, contact Commission staff at (517) 284-8090 or by email at: mpscedockets@michigan.gov.

Any person wishing to intervene and become a party to the case shall electronically file a petition to intervene with this Commission by May 25, 2017. (Interested persons may elect to file using the traditional paper format.) The proof of service shall indicate service upon Wisconsin Electric's an UMERC's attorney, Michael C. Rampe, Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone, P.L.C., One Michigan Avenue, Suite 900, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

Any person wishing to appear at the hearing to make a statement of position without becoming a party to the case may participate by filing an appearance. To file an appearance, the individual must attend the hearing and advise the presiding administrative law judge of his or her wish to make a statement of position. All information submitted to the Commission in this matter becomes public information, thus available on the Michigan Public Service Commission's website, and subject to disclosure. Please do not include information you wish to remain private.

Requests for adjournment must be made pursuant to the Michigan Administrative Hearing System's Administrative Hearing Rules R 792.10422 and R 792.10432. Requests for further information on adjournment should be directed to (517) 284-8130.

A copy of Wisconsin Electric's and UMERC's request may be reviewed on the Commission's website at: michigan.gov/mpscedockets, and at the office of Wisconsin Electric Power Company. For more information on how to participate in a case, you may contact the Commission at the above address or by telephone at (517) 284-8090.

Jurisdiction is pursuant to 1909 PA 106, as amended, MCL 460.551 et seq.; 1919 PA 419, as amended, MCL 460.54 et seq.; 1939 PA 3, as amended, MCL 460.1 et seq.; 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq.; 1982 PA 304, as amended, MCL 460.6j et seq.; and the Michigan Administrative Hearing System's Administrative Hearing Rules, 2015 AC, R 792.10401 et seq.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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May 1, 2017 Case No. U-17912-R

Mr. Michael C. Rampe Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone, P.L.C. One Michigan Avenue, Suite 900 Lansing, Michigan 48933

Dear Mr. Rampe:

Wisconsin Electric Power Company an UMERC shall mail, by May 18, 2017, a copy of the enclosed notice of hearing to all cities, incorporated villages, townships and counties in its Michigan electric service area, and to intervenors in Cases Numbers U-17912 and U-17674-R. Proof of service shall be filed by the prehearing conference on June 1, 2017.

Wisconsin Electric Power Company and UMERC shall cause the enclosed notice of hearing to be published, by May 18, 2017, in daily newspapers of general circulation in its Michigan electric service area. Publishing requirements and a copy of the publishing format are enclosed. Affidavits of publication shall be filed by the prehearing conference on June 1, 2017.

Wisconsin Electric Power Company and UMERC shall, by June 1, 2017, serve upon each person who has petitioned to intervene a copy of the written direct testimony of its proposed witnesses and the proposed exhibits as filed with the Commission. Proof of service shall be filed with the Commission by June 8, 2017.

Sincerely,		
Kavita Kale		
Executive Secretary		

Enclosures